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## Cattleya Trianae

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## One of the Finest Orchid Species

It is much in demand by florists, growers and amateurs, because of its dependability in blooming during the Christmas and New Year holidays. Its flowering season starts in mid-November and continues through to the end of March.

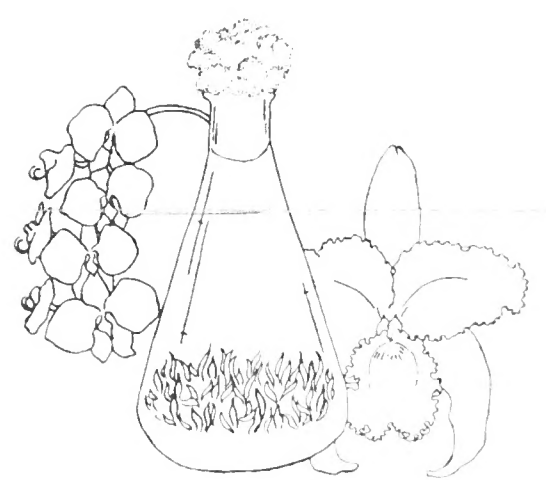
All our Cattleya Trianae plants were collected personally by Mr. Rapella in Colombia, South America. Only very vigorous, large specimen plants, having blooms of quality were selected, shipped, and established at our nursery. Most of these plants arrived in California in 1936 and 1937 and are being divided into smaller plants for the first time now. Plants and back cuttings, or small portions, from these fine plants can be shipped at this time.

- No. 1 plants established in 5-inch pots, per plant.....\$2.00
  - No. 2 cuttings, unestablished, not potted. Finest cuttings....50c each
  - Smaller cuttings.....3 for \$1.00
- Orders for \$5.00 or more delivered prepaid anywhere in California

The rooting of these cuttings is a simple matter, and can be done right in your home. Just place the rhizome (bottom of cutting) on coarse sand until the new root and plant growth appears, then pot the plant permanently in Osmundine fibre—usually in 4 inch pots. If you wish, you may bring the cuttings to us for potting. Osmundine fibre may be purchased from us along with your cuttings. 10c worth is sufficient for **each** plant. Osmundine can be purchased from us at any time for 20c a pound.

Many back cuttings bloom the following season after potting. Only healthy cuttings with sound eyes are sold.

**For Chemiculture enthusiasts!** It is interesting to root, grow and flower these unestablished and inexpensive cuttings in coarse sand treated with Vitamin B<sub>1</sub> solution. You'll enjoy this thrill. Order today!

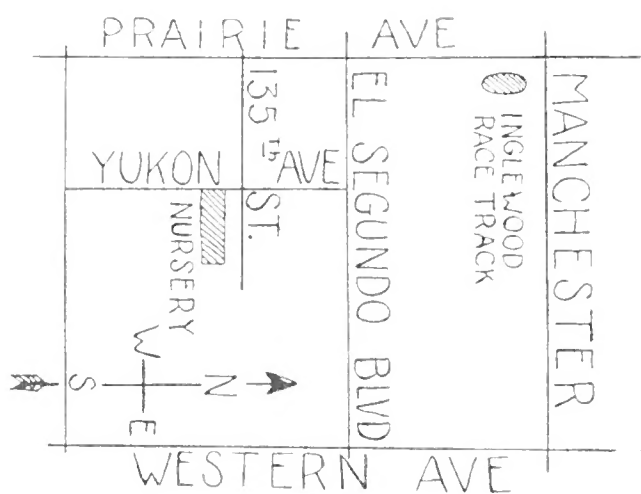


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